Personals

Carroll Smith, of Charlottesville, will spend the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown.

H. A. Gurney motored to Medford, Mass. last week. Returning home with him were Mrs. Gurney and their two sons, who had been spending the winter in Massachusetts, and Mrs. James Gurney, his mother, who will spend some time here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Winters have moved to their country home.

Mrs. Carroll Smith spent the week-end in Charlottesville.

Mrs. Ivey Holland was hostess to her bridge club Tuesday afternoon. The Easter note was carried out. Guests of the club were Mrs. Calvin Robinson and Mrs. H. B. Pack. Prizes went to Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Elizabeth Ford.

Mrs. L. L. Gayle will return home Saturday after spending several days in Richmond.

Elwood Gensler will spend the holidays at his home in Shippingsburg, Penn.

Mrs. Elliott Cheatham and daughter, Mary Frances are visiting Mayor and Mrs. C. S. McDearman.

Miss Henrritta Roberts will spend the holidays at her home in Norfolk.

Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Gayle will spend Sunday in Fredericksburg.

Miss Lula Gray Irby is better after a recent illness.

Miss Marjorie Gooden will spend the holidays at her home in Lynchburg.

Miss Turner, a member of the high school faculty, is out after a recent illness. She will spend Easter with relatives in Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hunt, of Raleigh, Miss Sadie Reynolds and Lloyd Bradley, of Richmond will spend the week-end with Mrs. W. R. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs F. B. Cale and daughter, Harriett, motored to Fork Union Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bernard Wilkerson and son, of Lynchburg, spent Sunday with Mrs. D. A. Conner.

Garland Morris, of V. P. I., will spend Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Morris.

L. E. Morris, of Norfolk, spent the week-end here with Mrs. Morris.

Don Moses, Jr., of Baltimore will spend the week-end here.

Misses Lee and Mary Ellen Coleman, of Lynchburg, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Meado called to see them Sunday afternoon.

Misses Phoebe and Dorothy O'Brien, of Richmond will spend the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. O'Brien.

Vernell Mitchell, who is working in Portsmouth, will spend the week-end here.

Miss Laura McFadden spent Sunday with Mrs. J. C. Bogar.

Miss Shirley Bogar visited Miss Florence McFadden Sunday.

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Almond is sick.

Mrs. W. H. Price, of Rice visited her son, Alfred Price, this week. She also visited her daughter, Mrs. John Taylor at the Virginia Baptist hospital.

Mesdames J. C. Caldwell, Dora Randolph, A. R. Harwood and R. B. Hudgins spent Tuesday in Richmond.

Thomas and Gerald Childers have returned to Portsmouth after visiting their parents here for several days.

Leonard Childers, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Childers left last week for Marwell Field, Alabama, to begin training in the Army Air Corps.

Circle No. 3 of the Memorial Methodist church will meet on Monday night, April 6, at 7:45, with Mrs. E. C. Rogers.

Billy Redding, of Hampden-Sydney College, spent the week-end with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Redding.

Miss Sarah Myers will spend the Easter holidays at her home in Bridgewater.

Mrs. Julian Wingfield is improving from a recent illness.

Mrs. Carlton Price and daughter, Kathleen Hampton, are spending this week in Caroline county, where Mr. Price is working.

Mr. and Mrs G. L. Doss and daughter, and Mrs. Ola Patterson spent Sunday in Lynchburg with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Johnson.

Misses Marion June Evans and Ruth Tuck, of Lynchburg spent the week-end with Mrs. Jennie Johnson.

Mrs. Gordon Spencer will spend the week-end in Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Langran will spend Sunday with Mrs. James Langran at Lovingston.

Mrs. J. R. Lawson spent the week-end in Norfolk.

Paul S. Drinkard, who has been stationed at Sandy Level, is now at Blackstone. Mr. Drinkard spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. W. M. Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Taylor have announced the birth of a son, John Paul Taylor, Jr., born at the Virginia Baptist hospital Friday, March 27.

Byron Cole, of Richmond, spent the week-end in Appomatox.

Miss Annie Hancock, of Salem, will spend the holidays at her home here.

Miss Virginia Christian, of Charlottesville, Miss Mildred Christian, of Harrisonburg, and David Christian, of Hampden-Sydney will spend Easter here with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Christian.

Miss Mildred McDearmon, of Columbia, S. C., will spend Easter here with her parents, Mayor and Mrs. C. S. McDearmon.

Miss Marietta McGehee will spend the week-end in Lynchburg.

Curry Harvey, of Richmond is spending a few days this week with his parents.

Mrs. J. J. Harvey entertained friends Monday evening. Those present included Misses Marie Owens, Ellen Wilson, Ella B. Lewis, Rachel Harvey, and Jesse Harvey, Jr., Curry Harvey, and Mrs. H. M. Crowder, of Lynchburg.

Privates Carter Martin and Leslie Gordon, Jr. spent the week-end with their parents.

Miss Rachel Harvey left Tuesday for Chatham, where she has accepted a position.

Miss Shirley Merseureau, of Baltomire, spent today with her grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Johnson. Meredith Evans, of Richmond, is spending the rest of the week in the same home.

Miss Elizabeth Crulle, of Richmond is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crale.

Dr. and Mrs. Morton Gratz, of Lexington, visited in the home of Mrs. A. R. Harwood yesterday.

Raymond Crawley, of William and Mary College, is spending the holidays at his home here.

Miss Caroline Moses will spend the holidays in New Jersey.

Mrs. H. P. Davis returned yesterday from a month's stay in Florida.

Rev. and Mrs. D. G. Trent, of Monterey, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trent.

Jerry Britton and John Smeltz, of Harrisburg, Penn., were week-end guests of Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Gayle.

Mrs. Wiley Morris returned Monday after visiting her father, Mr. McKenzie, in Ohio.

Mrs. E. E. Gills and Miss Louise Gills are expected to return Saturday, after spending the winter in Richmond.

Mrs. Ray Houchens and son, Jerry, of Petrsburg are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Conner.

Miss Dot Sears, of South Boston will spend this week-end here with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Sears.

Miss Pat Sears and Mr. Styres, of Richmond, were week-end guests of Mrs. J. E. Sears.

Dr. and Mrs. Havilah Babcock, and Mr. and Mrs. "Huck" Babcock, of Columbia, S. C, will arrive Friday evening to spend Easter at Hotel Appomattox.

Miss Vay Abbitt has returned home after visiting in Richmond.

Mrs. W. Ill. Steele is visiting in Petersburg.

Miss Ellen Copenhaver, of Charlottesville, Mrs. W. H. Copenhaver, and Miss Marigold Scott, of Marion arrived this evening to spend Easter in the home of Mrs. W. P. Gills. Mr. and Mrs. Banks Frazier, of Richmond will spend the week-end here.

Mrs. T. W. Moses, Mrs. F. C. Dresser and Mrs. R. M. Mann motored to Altavista Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Reynolds visited her brother, R. N. Peak, of Long Island, Sunday, who is a patient in the Virginia Baptist hospital.

Mrs. Garland Plunkett moved today from the Harward Apartments, and will leave shortly to join her husband at Fort Benning, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cook, of Staunton recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Coleman.

William Phelps, of Newport News spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Phelps.

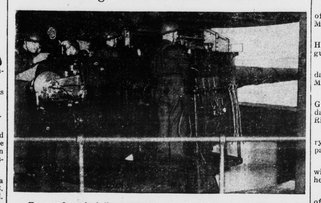
MUSIC HONOR ROLL

Miss Kate Franklin has announced the following March music honor roll: Walter Dresser, Mary Ellen Ramsey, Joyce Wingfield, Phyllis Drinkard, Ethel Lee Martin, Peggy Smith, Jean Stratton.

Buy Defense Stamps regularly.

Appomattox needs boosters.

Guarding Great Britain's Coastline



To guard against the possibility of a Nazi invasion of England this spring, this "sea fort," somewhere in the "Northern Command," stands ready. The fort is heavily manned. Its big guns point out over the narrow sea towards Europe. The picture shows men of the garrison during gun drill.

U. S. Army's Most Modern Field Piece

This soundphoto shows caterpillar tractors dragging a string of 155-mm. field rifles through a pine woods on the way to target practice at the artillery range, at Fort Bragg, N. C. The gun and tractor weigh 30 tons together. The 155's mobility and 17-mile range make it the biggest field gun in the U. S. army's locker.

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MOORE—VIAR

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry B. Viar, of Gladys announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Marie, to Ra[illegible] Curry Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Moore, of Concord. The ceremony was performed January 3, 1942, by the Rev. C. J. Vernon, of Huntsville, Tenn. The couple will make their home near Concord, where the groom is engaged in the lumber business.

Handkerchief Shower

Mrs. Barry Dahl entertained Wednesday evening with a handkerchief shower and theatre party in honor of Mrs. Garland Plunkett, who leaves Saturday to join her husband at Fort Benning, Ga. Guests present included: Mrs. Dave Plunkett, Miss Alice Harwood, Mrs. B. F. Moomaw, Misses Louise and Harriett Lee Robertson, Mrs. B. G. Anderson, Mrs. C. L. McDearmon, Miss Beulah Ferrell, Mrs. Hunter Dickerson, Mrs. J. C. Price, Mrs. Robert Lynch and Mrs. Garland Kidd.

Teacher Invents Device To Compute Averages

MANSFIELD, OHIO.—Dan B. Haber, a junior high school mathematics teacher here, invented a mechanical grade averager that is a great time-saver.

"A Russian adding abacus—centuries old in principle—that I saw in a hotel in Odessa in 1938 gave me the germ of an idea for the averaging machine," Haber said.

The machine is so simple that a fourth grade child can operate it, but development of the calculator took months of mathematical gymnastics and planning.

It is operated by means of a "puncher" placed in a slot opposite the grade to be averaged. The machine computes averages for from 1 to 24 degrees with the result appearing in a small traveling "window."

British Now Can Send Children Expense Cash

LONDON.—An official spokesman announced that British parents, for the first time, would be allowed to send expense money to children evacuated to the U. S.

Remittances up to $12 a month may be sent to any child under 16 and $40 to adults who left the country in charge of children and are still responsible for them.

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Mass Meeting Called On Fire Engine Bid

The town council of Appomattox has before it a proposal for the town to purchase a new, modern fire engine. The cost will be approximately $3,600. If ordered now, the fire engine would be received in 120 days, under priority rating.

The officials of the town feel that the tax-payers have a right to be heard, for or against the purchase of a new fire engine.

Therefore, Mayor C. S. McDearman has called a special meeting of the town council for 8:30 Friday night, at the Court House, and invites and urges all citizens of the town to attend. The meeting will be an open mass meeting.

Appomattox has an active volunteer fire company, but the equipment is on the short side. The truck was second-hand to strat with over fifteen years ago.

The town officials hope that many citizens will come out Friday night, and express their wishes on this matter. The council will probably take definite action at the meeting.

APRIL TENTH MEETING OF GARDEN CLUB

The April meeting of the Appomattox Garden Club is scheduled for 3:30 P. M., Friday, April 10, at the home of Mrs. J. E. Sears. The joint hostesses will be Mrs. Ivey Holland, Miss Sarah Myers, Miss Mariette McGehee and Miss Georgia Watson, and the program will be directed by Miss Flora Williams and Miss Harriett Holley. The topic for the meeting is Junior Garden Club work. Because of the lateness of the season, two extra exhibits have been added to the ones scheduled in the year book, giving the following variety of flowers which may be entered: arrangements in novelty containers, arrangement of tulip, arrangement of Bowers which may be entered: arrangements in novelty containers, arrangement of tulip, arrangement of one variety of narcissus, arrangement of daffodils.

OPENING OF NEW STATION SET FOR TOMORROW

The H. M. Burge Co. announces the opening tomorrow, April 10, of its new Service Station No. 3. You are invited to visit and expect this modern station.

New Sidewalk

At its meeting Monday night, the town council voted to put a sidewalk on Court Street, for the block between Highland and Isbell Streets.

Circuit Court In Session

The county circuit court was in session Tuesday, and today.

Adopt Budget

The county board of supervisors met Wednesday. The county budget for the next fiscal year was up for adoption.

Rocks Personals

Rocks, April 7.- A large crowd gathered at Rocks Sunday night for the Easter service.

Miss Helen Garrett returned to her work at Appomattox last Tuesday.

Jim Frank Ranson was quite sick last week.

Mrs. Marshall Buckman, of Prospect spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. R. C. Baldwin, who was suffering with her back.

Those who called to see A. A. Baldwin last week were: J. H. Ranson, J. A. Garrett and son, Melvin, and Mrs. and Mrs. Sherman Garlinghouse.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Meadows and family, of Roanoke, moved into our community Friday.

Mrs. D. R. Inge is not so well.

Mr. and Mrs. Vester Garrett announce the birth of a daughter, Lynchburg, and Mrs. S. R. Paulette of Evergreen spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garrett.

Those who spent the Easter holidays in the home of Mrs. Maude Ranson and Mrs. Rhony Wilson were Mr. and Mrs. James Thackston and son, Jimmy, of High Point, N. C., Mr. and Mrs. John Ranson, of Norfolk, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ranson and daughter, of Blackstone, and Rhony Wilson, of Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Carter and J. T. Jennings spent Sunday afternoon in the same home.

Mrs. Walter Ranson spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. B. D. Dickerson, who is not so well.

Hubert Martin, of Maryland spent the Easter holidays with his daughter, Annie C. Martin, of Pamplin.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roach and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Meadows and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Ranson, Misses Odille Ranson, and Helen Garrett and Toby Inge motored to Covington Sunday to get Miss Isabelle Ranson, who has been very ill there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Anderson, of Piney River, and G. H. Ranson, of Appomattox, spent Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Anderson.

Clarence Edward Almond called to see Harry Almond Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Almond and children, of Appomattox spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Almond.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ranson and children, of Appomattox spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. F. Ranson.

Mrs. Eugene Davis, of Lynchburg, formerly Miss Jessalyn Marsh, spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Marsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Richardson of Farmville spent the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. D. R. Inge.

Little Samuel Edward Dickerson is sick.

The home makers club met Monday with Miss Cassie Baldwin. The attendance was small due to sickness in the community.

NYA Constructs Trap To Catch Flies on Cows

WAURIKA, OKLA.—It was no baby fly trap that NYA youths built here to catch flies. It was so large in fact that it holds a cow. The fly trap, measuring 10 feet by 7 feet by 6, is designed so that when a cow passes through the structure, the flies get brushed off and are caught in screen containers. Such a trap has been known to catch 18 gallons of flies in a week. Suppose one was made for an elephant!

NEW COUNCILMAN

C. Kendall Hunter

C. Kendall Hunter was appointed Monday night to serve the unexpired term of George Abbitt Jr. on the Appomattox town council. Mr. Abbitt is now a member of the county board of supervisors.

SURRENDER ANNIVERSARY

Today is the anniversary of the ending of the War Between the States at old Appomattox Court House, on April 9, 1865.

VARIETY PROGRAM

There will be a variety program, sponsored by the Youth Club at the Evergreen school on Friday, April 17, at 8:30 P. M. There will be two one-act plays, "professor quiz", spelling bee and other features.

Both Germany and Russia mov'ng up large bodies of fresh troops for big battles this spring.

Fourth Registration April 27th.

British repel air attack on Ceylon.

County supervisors met yesterday.

Named for Kelly

A ready-for-action B-24 "Liberator" Consolidated bomber is here being dedicated by Mrs. Colin P. Kelly in honor of her hero husband, who settled for one Jap battleship early in the war. As she poured Pacific ocean water on the huge craft she said: "I say to Hitler, Mussolini and Hirohito: 'This is our answer.'"

Hold That Match, Brother!

The person who starts out in life with a determination to make a success by careful planning and hard work usually does better than the one who drifts on what someone has aptly expressed as "Wishbone Philosophy." Those people who think, plan, and work on the principles of "Wishbone Philosophy" alone generally get what their wishbone brings to them and not much more. What would the general public think of a man who worked hard, denied himself of the luxuries of life to accumulate some wealth, was successful, and would then take his money, place it in a fire trap, burn brush or an old straw field on a windy day around that fire trap! Chances are that everyone would be shy of this individual and would begin to question the soundness of his mind. On the other hand, the person who spends some thirty to sixty years making a sacrifice, paying taxes and growing timber will burn brush, old straw fields, or rubbish near his and others accumulated wealth, the forest, without giving apparantly any consideration as to what the results might be. It is not the intention that the brush field do any damage but most forest fires are the result of someone's good intentions.

It is time for the forest owners of Virginia to stop living by the "Wishbone Philosophy", stop thinking that fires won't get out, reverse that idea and believe that every match struck in a field will cause inestimable damage to not only his forest but others as well. It is reported that forest fires this year are worse than they have been for many years. There are several reasons for this. First, No CCC Camps are left to fight fires; Second, An unusually large amount of forest products have been cut; Third, The usual heavy, dry winds; Fourth, the leniency in dealing with the responsible individuals.

Appomattox County, so far, has not been as hard hit by forest fires as some other Virginia counties. But remember.... before striking that match that the fire season is not over yet and the land owner can still have destroyed in a few minutes what it has taken nature years to accumulate. It is not believed that the people of Appomattox County have any money to burn!

—By J. H.

Tobacco Ass'n. To Repay Loan From Members

On April 25, between 2 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon, the Virginia Dark Fired Tobacco Growers Marketing Association will repay approximately $11,304.36 in principal and interest for "Revolving Fund" loans made in 1939 to about 800 people, E. D. Brooks, secretary-treasurer of the Association, stated at the headquarters office in Farmville.

Although these loans are not due until July, the Association's board of directors ordered them paid on April 25, and checks for payment are now being made out, said Mr. Brooks.

On the afternoon of April 25, which is a Saturday, C. P. Moses, director for Appomattox county, will have the checks for the Revolving Fund Certificate holders in his county at Appomattox Court House.

Satisfactory Season

Secretary-treasurer E. D. Brooks reported a satisfactory season in view of the short crop.

General manager Thos. B. Hill was instructed to proceed to set up the organization to handle the 1942 crop on the same general plan as was used last season.

The Revolving Fund was solicited in the summer of 1939 to provide money for operating capital. Business men, association members and citizens throughout the dark-fired tobacco belt made voluntary subscriptions. Certificates were issued by the Association redeemable in three years with interest at 3 per cent. Even though the Certificates are not due until July, the board of directors have ordered them paid on April 25.

Secretary-treasurer Brooks said the certificates must be presented in order that the checks be received. He also said that certiceates would be redeemed in Farmville either in person or by mail after April 25th for those who found it inconvenient to meet Mr. Moses at the time and place designated above.

The board of directors expressed its appreciation for the cooperation of the certificate holders because of their support and good will during the three years past. The money derived from the Revolving Fund Certificates permitted the association to accumulate a operating fund sufficient to carry forward its marketing program.

Buy Defense Stamps regularly.

Evergreen Notes

Evergreen, April 7.- Mrs. Howard Glover, who has been suffering with a bone felon on her finger, is better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ferguson had a reunion Sunday. All of her children and grandchildren were present, together with other relatives, including: Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Ferguson, and two children, of Lynchburg, Mrs. T. D. Harris and seven children, of Walkers Ford, Mrs. Howard Glover and three children, of Evergreen, Paul Ferguson and two children, Mrs. W. R. Baldwin, and two children. In all, there were 24 present. The children had a fine time hunting Easter eggs in the afternoon.

Miss Louise LeGrand was a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Louise Garrette.

Little Bessie Ann Glover is sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Glover visited Mr. and Mrs. Green Garrett Sunday P. M.

Appomattox needs a good Clean-Up Week!

Wayside Briefs

Wayside- Rev. Brown preached to a large congregation Sunday at New Hope.

Rev. Brown and family were dinner guests of Mrs. Walker Covington Sunday.

Mrs. R. W. Morris has returned from the hospital, and is improving rapidly.

Mrs. Louis Dahl and son, and Billy Drummiller, of Farmville spent Sunday with Mrs. F. A. O'Brien.

Mrs. Daniel Jennings is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. R. W. Morris.

Miss Claudine O'Brien spent the week-end at her home here.

"Buck" Trent is a patient at the Virginia Baptist hospital.

Spout Spring Items

Spout Spring, April 8.- John D. Johnston, of the U. S. Army camp, Washington, spent the week-end with his parents here.

Misses Virginia Johnston and Juanita Farmer, of Lynchburg, and Sergeant James A. Gilbert, Jr., of Fort Bragg, were guests of Miss June Johnston during the holidays.

Miss June Johnston spent the week-end at Pamplin as the guest of Miss Marguerite Gilbert.

Dr. R. L. McNeir will preach at Old Concord church Sunday at 11 A. M. The Communion service will also be held. The public is cordially invited.

Phone 30 with Personals.

This is the month to sign pledges for regular purchases of Defense Bonds.

Plenty of free parking space in Appomattox.

Test Black-Out Set for Thursday, April 23rd.

County Defense Co-ordinator J. A. Burke announced today that the first TEST BLACK-OUT in this County would take place sometime between the hours of 8 and 10:30 on the night of Thursday, APRIL 23. Orders confirming plans for the test Black-out were received this morning from Richmond. Exact hours for the black-out will not be announced in advance.... the public is expected to be on the alert on the evening of April 23, and be prepared to darken the town immediately upon sounding of the AIR-RAID ALARM on the sirene. The air-raid signal is different from the fire alarm signal in that it is a steady blast, consisting of not over thirty seconds duration. The air-raid alarm is an undulating, up-and-down alarm lasting two seconds minutes. The ALL-CLEAR is a steady two minute signal.

All local defense committees are organizing for this test black-out.

Detailed instructions for the public will be announced in time for every resident to do his or her part. A partial black-out doesn't do much good. The job must be perfect. Not a light should be exposed. If you are to keep interior house lights on, the windows and doors must be blackened so as not to expose a ray of light to an approaching plane.

Auxiliary police, firemen, wardens, spotters, first aid crews, demolition squads, and other committees will be on the job.

It is expected that the Black-out will be applied in both Appomattox and Pamplin.

A black-out isn't a joke. We are in WAR. In case of a real air raid you'd probably have not over five minutes notice ... so it is best to find out NOW how it's done!

PRICE APPOINTED

The local National Park Service office announced today the appointment of James C. Price, of Appomattox to fill the position of Ranger at Appomattox Court House National Historical Monument.

Mr. Price was graduated from Virginia Polytechnic Institute in 1934. For the past year, he has been employed by the Civilian Conservation Corps as Senior Foreman Engineer at the Appomattox CCC camp, and transferred to the CCC camp at A. P. Hill Military Reservation, Caroline county, upon abandonment of the local camp in March of this year.

Mr. Price will be in charge of police and fire protection activities at the Monument, and will also serve as assistant to the Superintendent in administrative and interpretative work. Ranger Price will enter on duty at the Monument April 14.

PAMPLIN NEWS

Pamplin, April 7.- Private Ralph Lucado, of Fort Wheeler, Ga., recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lucado.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ford and son, of Lynchburg, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ford.

Mrs. Mary Bonwell, of West Va., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Martha J. Williams.

Miss Sue Davis, of Lynchburg, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Ransone.

Mrs. Hoops and L. N. Ligon, Jr., of North Caroline, and Billy Ligon, of Fort Meade were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Ligon.

Mrs. L. M. Southall and Miss Ernestine Southall were the week-end guests of Mrs. J. A. Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis, Miss Helen Davis, Emery Davis and children visited Mrs. Emery Davis at a Lynchburg hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs Sam Nash, of Harpersville visited relatives here last week-end.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McClenny Saturday were Miss Ruth Swan and S. Brockwell, of Newport News and W. A. Swan, of Hixburg.

PLAN DISTRICT MEETING

The East Central District Home Economics Association will hold its spring meeting in Farmville high school, Saturday, April 11, beginning at 10 A. M.

Miss Martha Creighton, state supervisor of home economics, will discuss the "Economic outlook for Families." Sixteen counties are expected to be represented.

Bowling League Standing

Team	W	L
Independents	26	7
Lions	25	8
Sears	20	13
Esso	17	16
Moses	16	17
Hardware	16	17
Buckingham	8	25
Oakville	4	29

Appomattox is a growing town.